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Response and Request for Reconsideration – After Final Rejection

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, this Response is being filed to reply to the Office Action and Final Rejection of claims 11-22 that was mailed on November 30, 2006. Reconsideration of the application in view of the following remarks is respectfully requested.

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